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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

This Response and Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 is submitted in response to the Office Letter mailed July 31, 2006, in the above-captioned Application for which the three-month shortened statutory period for response expires October 31, 2006.

Amendments:

Please amend the captioned Application as follows: